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16 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
17 **CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

18 ROBERT HUNTER BIDEN, an
19 individual,

20 Plaintiff,

21 vs.

22 PATRICK M. BYRNE, an individual,

23 Defendant.

24 **Case No. 2:23-cv-09430-SVW-PD**

25 *Hon. Stephen V. Wilson*

26 **JOINT REQUEST FOR REMOTE
27 INITIAL STATUS CONFERENCE**

28 Date: March 18, 2024
Time: 3:00 P.M.
Place: Courtroom 10A

1 **TO THE COURT AND TO ALL PARTIES AND THEIR ATTORNEYS**
2 **OF RECORD:**

3 **PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that the undersigned counsel for Plaintiff Robert
4 Hunter Biden and Defendant Patrick M. Byrne jointly request that the initial status
5 conference, which is scheduled for March 18, 2024 at 3:00 p.m. at the First Street
6 Courthouse, 350 W. 1st Street, Courtroom 10A, 10th Floor, Los Angeles, California
7 90012, be held remotely via Zoom. Good cause for the request is set forth in the
8 concurrently-filed declaration of Paul B. Salvaty.

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10 Respectfully submitted,

11 Dated: March 6, 2024

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